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PUBLIC UTILITIES  
COMMISSION

The Honorable Chairman and Members of  
the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission  
Kekuanaoa Building  
465 South King Street, 1st Floor  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

RE: Docket No. 2008-0303 – Application of Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc., Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc., Maui Electric Company, Limited for Approval of the Advanced Meter Infrastructure (AMI) Projects and Request to Commit Capital Funds, to Defer and Amortize Software Development Costs, to Begin Installation Meters and Implement Time-Of-Use Rates, for Approval of Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment, and Other Matters.

In accordance with the requirements of Protective Order filed on April 15, 2009, enclosed please find the original protective agreement which was executed by the Consumer Advocate's consultant, Michael Brosch of Utilitech, Inc.

In the event other members of the Consumer Advocate's staff and/or outside consultants retained to assist us in our review become involved in this docket, additional protective agreements will be executed with the originals forwarded to you.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Catherine P. Awakuni".

Catherine P. Awakuni  
Executive Director

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Enclosure

cc: Dean Matsuura  
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EXHIBIT A

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

PROTECTIVE AGREEMENT

1. I, Michael Brosch, have been presented with a copy of Protective Order filed by the Hawai'i Public Utilities Commission in Docket No. 2008-0303 on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2009 ("Protective Order").
2. I am employed, retained or assisting Consumer Advocate in Docket No. 2008-0303, am a "Qualified Person" pursuant to paragraph 12 of the Protective Order, and have requested review of the confidential information covered by the Protective Order.
3. I understand the confidential information covered by the Protective Order is to be used solely to assist Consumer Advocate as provided for in paragraph 15 of the Protective Order (and paragraph 17 in the case of rendering assistance to the Consumer Advocate), and that I am to make no other use of the confidential information, nor am I to disclose the confidential information to any other person unless otherwise permitted by the Protective Order.
4. I further understand that at the conclusion of my assistance to Consumer Advocate, I shall account for each copy, extract, note and summary of, or other document containing any part of such confidential information to the party claiming confidentiality and I shall abide by the provisions in paragraph 28 of the Protective Order, unless otherwise permitted by paragraphs 29 and 30 of the Protective Order.

5. I hereby certify that I have read the above-mentioned Protective Order and agree to abide by its terms and conditions.

DATED at Leawood KS 4-28-09

Michael L Brosch  
Signature

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